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SUBJECT: US-USSR HOUSING AGREEMENT: JOINT COMMITTEE MEETING:
SOVIET DRAFT REPORT ON NEW TOWNS WORKING GROUP (10.06)

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1. ON AUGUST 3 TERENT'YEV GAVE EMBOFF SOVIET DRAFT
REPORTS ON WORKING GROUPS (WG) 10.02, 10.04, AND 10.06.
TERENT'YEV COMMENTED THAT SOVIETS HAD FOUND U.S.
DRAFT REPORTS ON THESE WGS TOO SKETCHY.
IN ORDER TO GET SOVIET REPORT AND THE COVERING
LETTERS OF THE SOVIET WG COCHAIRMEN TO HUD BEFORE
HOUSING AGREEMENT SECRETARIAT MEETING AUGUST 9 WE
ARE SENDING INFORMAL EMB TRANSLATIONS AND SUMMARIES
OF THESE LENGTHY DOCUMENTS TELEGRAPHICALLY. INFORMAL
EMB SUMMARY OF 10.06 COCHAIRMAN KUDRYATSEV'S COVER
LETTER AND DRAFT 10.06 REPORT FOLLOW IN THIS TELEGRAM.
INFORMAL TRANSLATIONS AND SUMMARIES OF WG 10.02
AND 10.04 MATERIAL ARE BEING SENT IN SEPARATE
TELEGRAMS. ORIGINAL 10.06 REPORT POUCHED UNDER REGISTRY 3584871.

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HANCOCK, ASSISTANT TO THE SECRETARY FOR INTERNATIONAL
AFFAIRS, HUD, RECEIVES THIS TELEGRAM BY AUGUST 9.

3. DEAR MR. WHITE,
I RECEIVED YOUR DRAFT REPORT ON WG 10.06, PREPARED
FOR THE SECOND JOINT COMMITTEE MEETING. CONSIDERING
THAT AT THE JCM EACH WG SHOULD PRESENT A REPORT LASTING

15-20 MINUTES, I BELIEVE IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO
EXPAND THE REPORT. I AM THEREFORE SENDING YOU A
DRAFT REPORT WHICH TAKES INTO ACCOUNT YOUR PROPOSALS.
I BELIEVE THAT AT THE JCM WE SHOULD AGREE ON
COOPERATION IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:
IN SUBPROJECT 10.0601, "PLANNING OF NEW TOWNS"
A) PROJECT 10.060101 -"ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CRITERIA
FOR LOCATING AND PLANNING NEW TOWNS"
B) PROJECT 10.060102 -"ENVIRONMENTAL AND OTHER
CRITERIA FOR LOCATING AND PLANNING NEW TOWNS"
C) PROJECT 10.060103 - "NORMS AND STANDARDS FOR
SOCIAL SERVICES, ENGINEERING SECURITY, AND TRANSPORT"
D) PROJECT 10.060104 "RATE, SEQUENCE, AND VALUE
OF THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW TOWNS"
UNDER SUBTHEME 10.0602, "MANAGEMENT OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT."
I HOPE TO SEE YOU IN MOSCOW AT THE JCM. SINCERELY
A.O. KUDRYATSEV.

4. REPORT ON WG 10.06
THE WG WAS FORMED IN JUNE, 1975 IN ACCORDANCE WITH
THE DECISION OF THE FIRST JCM. EARLIER, NEW TOWNS
HAD BEEN THE THESE OF COOPERATION WITHIN THE US-
USSR ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT. WG MEETINGS HAVE
BEEN HELD IN MOSCOW FEBRUARY 8-20, 1976, AND IN
WASHINGTON MARCH 22-APRIL 3, 1977. COOPERATION
HAS BEEN CARRIED OUT UNDER TWO SUBTHEMES: 1) PLANNING
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NEW TOWNS AND 2) MANAGING URBAN DEVELOPMENT. THE
PARTIES HAVE EXCHANGED TWO GROUPS OF EXPERTS.
AT THE OUTSET OF COOPERATIVE WORK THE PARTIES DECIDED
TO PREPARE AND TO EXCHANGE SCIENTIFIC TECHNICAL
REPORTS UPON THE CHOSEN SUBTHEMES. THE REPORT
ON "PLANNING NEW TOWNS" INCLUDES CRITERIA, METHODS,
AND STANDARDS FOR PLANNING AND BUILDING NEW TOWNS. IN
ITS MATERIAL THE U.S. SIDE EMPHASIZED QUESTIONS
DEALING WITH THE ECONOMICS OF LOCATING AND CONSTRUCTING
NEW TOWNS, FINANCING, ENVIRONMENTAL QUESTIONS, AND
SATISFACTION OF CONSUMER DEMANDS IN ORDER TO
ACHIEVE CORRESPONDING PROFITS, ETC. GREAT ATTENTION
WAS DEVOTED TO LOCATING INDUSTRY AND ITS INFLUENCE
ON LAND USE; DEFINITION OF FACTORS INVOLVED IN
LOCATING LIVING QUARTERS, AND THE APPLICATION OF
EXAMPLES OF EXPENDITURES ON CONSTRUCTION OF NEW TOWNS.
IN ITS MATERIAL THE SOVIET SIDE EMPHASIZED ECONOMIC,
NATURAL, SOCIAL AND OTHER FACTORS INFLUENCING THE LOCATION
OF NEW TOWNS; THE APPLICATION OF GOVERNMENTAL CONSTRUCTION
NORMS, DIFFERENTIATED BY CLIMACTIC ZONE, SIZE, AND
IMPORTANCE OF THE CITY; EXCHANGE OF DESIGN AND
CONSTRUCTION EXPERIENCE OF SUCH NEW TOWNS AS TOL'YATTI,

NABEREZHNYE CHELNY AND OTHERS. IN THE 4TH QUARTER OF 1977 A GROUP OF SOVIET SPECIALISTS WILL GO TO THE U.S. TO COMPLETE WORK ON THE SOVIET-AMERICAN REPORTS, WHICH SHOULD BE COMPLETED AT THE THIRD WG SESSION, IN THE SECOND QUARTER OF 1978.

PREPARING PUBLICATION ON "MANAGING NEW TOWNS" IS GOING MORE SLOWLY BECAUSE THE TWO COUNTRIES HAVE DIFFERENT DEFINITIONS OF MANAGEMENT. THE FIRST EDITION OF THE REPORT WILL BE DISCUSSED BY SOVIET AND AMERICAN SPECIALISTS DURING THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 1977, AND WILL BE CONSIDERED AT THE THIRD WG MEETING DURING THE SECOND QUARTER OF 1978.

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BOTH PARTIES HAVE EXCHANGED INFORMATION ON A WIDE VARIETY OF QUESTIONS AND THE U.S. HAS GIVEN 400 PAGES OF MATERIALS AND THE SOVIETS HAVE TRANSFERRED 350 PAGES.

AT THE PRESENT TIME COOPERATION SHOULD BE CONCENTRATED ON 5 PROJECTS LISTED IN KUDRYATSEV-WHITE COVERING LETTER. WITHIN THESE THEMES THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS SHOULD BE DISCUSSED.

--INTRODUCTION OF LEADING TECHNOLOGY INTO DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW TOWNS.

--TOWN CONSTRUCTION NORMS

--COORDINATED PLANNING OF PHASES OF CONSTRUCTION OF NEW TOWNS

--ECONOMIC EFFECT OF THE DECISION TO BUILD NEW TOWNS

--APPLICATION OF COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY TO DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW TOWNS

COOPERATION OF THE TWO COUNTRIES ALLOWS

--COMPARISON AND CORRECTION OF STANDARDS IN

VARIOUS ASPECTS OF DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW

TOWNS

--STUDY OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH ABOUT NEW TOWNS
-RAISING THE QUALITY OF ORGANIZATION OF DESIGN
AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW TOWNS.
TO DEEPEN ITS EFFECTIVENESS THE WG SHOULD EXPAND ITS
ACTIVITIES TO INCLUDE EXCHANGE OF EXHIBITS, FILMS,
AND LECTURES ON ARCHITECTURE AND NEW TOWN CONSTRUCTION.
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MORE ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN
THE ACTIVITY OF THE WG. TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE
SCALE OF NEW TOWN CONSTRUCTION IN THE U.S. AND THE
U.S.R., BOTH COUNTRIES ARE INTERESTED IN FURTHER
DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATION IN THIS AREA.

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